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1. The barracks on the Rostock highway contain about 4,000 troops, infantry, and light artillery. The barracks have been supplied with ammunition.
2. Approximately 200 houses have been requisitioned for the officers in and around Güstrow. In late February and early March considerable quantities of canned foods have been brought into the town for the Russian troops. Movement of these foodstuffs has always been made at night.
3. In the woods around Güstrow are small groups of tanks (T-34 tanks).
4. The airfield near Güstrow is under repair, although work on the damaged hangars has not yet begun. In mid-March, 60 men began to repair the airfield runway.
5. Since mid-February the Russians have been bringing in gasoline and storing it in the large gasoline tanks south of the highway.
6. The damaged installations of the former Army Ordnance Depot (Heereswaffenamt) are being repaired.

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